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## MS PATENT APPLICATION

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## Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

YONEDA, Yasuhiro and HAGIHARA, Toshiya Inventor(s):

For: POLISHING COMPOSITION

## Enclosed are:

$\boxtimes$	A specification consisting of Forty-three (43)	pages
$\boxtimes$	Two (2) sheets formal drawings	

An assignment of the invention 冈

Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27

Applicant does not claim priority

	Applicant claims the right of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on Application No. 2002-291896 filed in JAPAN on October 4, 2002.  Certified copy is attached hereto.  Certified copy(ies) will follow.						
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